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EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
GROUP 1615
PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Sir:

Responsive to the outstanding rejection of February 23, 2005, three times extended to August 23, 2005 by an appropriate three-month petition for extension of time and fee submitted herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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